

May 16, 2016

Ms. Rebecca Chu
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10
1200 Sixth Avenue, AWT-121
Seattle, Washington 98101

BY E-MAIL ONLY

**RE: MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT – APRIL 2016
JORGENSEN FORGE EARLY ACTION AREA – REMOVAL ACTION
IMPLEMENTATION
U.S. EPA DOCKET NO. CERCLA-10-2013-0032
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
FARALLON PN: 831-037**

Dear Ms. Chu:

Farallon Consulting, L.L.C. (Farallon) has prepared this monthly progress report on behalf of Earle M. Jorgensen Company (EMJ) to document the activities conducted during April 2016 at the Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund Site Jorgensen Forge Early Action Area in Seattle, Washington (Site). This monthly progress report was prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent (Settlement Agreement) for Removal Action Implementation at the Site issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 10 on November 5, 2012 under EPA Docket No. CERCLA-10-2013-0032. To date, Farallon currently estimates that approximately 75 percent of the required work is complete.

This monthly progress report provides:

- A summary of field activities conducted during April 2016;
- A summary of laboratory data packages received during April 2016;
- A summary of deliverables submitted and received during April 2016;
- A summary of technical and regulatory meetings during April 2016;
- A summary of planned activities, meetings, and deliverables for May and June 2016; and
- A summary of deviations from the Settlement Agreement schedule anticipated for May and June 2016.

FIELD ACTIVITIES – APRIL 2016

No field activities were conducted in April 2016.



ANALYTICAL RESULTS – APRIL 2016

Z-layer unvalidated analytical data from the 2- to 3-foot interval were received for stations PDS-1, PDS-5, and PDS-7 on April 1, 2016 and forwarded to the data validation contractor, Laboratory Data Consultants, on April 4, 2016. This validated data package was received on April 14, 2016.

DELIVERABLES – APRIL 2016

The Monthly Progress Report – March 2016 was submitted to EPA on April 15, 2016.

TECHNICAL AND REGULATORY MEETINGS – APRIL 2016

- A project coordination call with The Boeing Company (Boeing), Jorgensen Force Company (JFC), and EPA was held on April 11, 2016; and
- A meeting with EPA, Ecology, and JFC to discuss the Operations, Monitoring, and Maintenance Plan (OMMP) Addendum No. 1 was held at EPA on April 5, 2016.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES, MEETINGS, AND DELIVERABLES – MAY AND JUNE 2016

Activities

Implementation of the OMMP Addenda Nos. 1 and 2 and the CQAP Modification No. 1 will continue in May and June 2016:

- Database management and preparation of figures, tables, and report sections will continue; and
- OMMP Addendum No. 1 will be revised in response to the EPA letter dated March 24, 2016.

Meetings

Project coordination meetings with Boeing, JFC, and EPA are scheduled for May 9 and June 6, 2016.

Deliverables

The following deliverables will be provided to EPA during May and June 2016:

- Monthly Progress Report – April 2016 by May 15, 2016;
- OMMP Addendum No. 2 and CQAP Modification No. 1 Progress Submittals; and
- Monthly Progress Report – May 2016 by June 15, 2016.

DEVIATIONS FROM SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT SCHEDULE – MAY AND JUNE 2016

No deviations from the Settlement Agreement schedule are anticipated in May or June 2016.



CLOSING

Farallon trusts that this monthly progress report provides sufficient information for EPA. If you have questions regarding this project, please contact the undersigned at (425) 295-0800.

Sincerely,

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